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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Taaki NAGAE

Serial No. 09/522,686

Group Art Unit: 2176

Confirmation No. 5906

Filed: march 10, 2000

Examiner: Nathan Hillery

For: ELECTRIC MAIL APPARATUS

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed August 14, 2003, and having a period for response set to expire on November 14, 2003. A Petition for a one-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to December 14, 2003.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

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